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## USAID Internship Graduate Students 2026

### Description

The United States Agency for International Development (USAID) is pleased to offer an internship program for graduate students in 2026. This internship provides a unique opportunity to engage with international development initiatives, contribute to global projects, and work alongside experienced professionals dedicated to making a positive impact on communities worldwide.

### Responsibilities

- Support USAID projects in areas such as economic development, health, education, and humanitarian assistance.
- Conduct research, data analysis, and contribute to the development of project reports.
- Assist in the design and implementation of programs that address the needs of vulnerable populations.
- Engage in strategic planning, partnership building, and communication efforts.
- Collaborate with cross-functional teams to achieve project goals and objectives.

### Qualifications

- Currently enrolled in a graduate program in international relations, public administration, development studies, or a related field.
- Strong academic record and a genuine interest in international development.
- Excellent written and verbal communication skills.
- Ability to work collaboratively in diverse and cross-cultural environments.

### Experience

- Previous experience in international development, either through coursework or internships, is advantageous.
- Familiarity with USAID's mission and goals is preferred but not mandatory.

### Skills

- Proficient in Microsoft Office suite (Word, Excel, PowerPoint).
- Analytical thinking and problem-solving abilities.
- Strong organizational and time management skills.
- Cultural sensitivity and adaptability to working in different contexts.

### Job Benefits

- Exposure to real-world challenges in international development.
- Networking opportunities with professionals in the field.
- Professional development through training and mentorship.
- Potential for academic credit, subject to university requirements.

### Hiring organization

USAID

### Employment Type

Intern

### Duration of employment

6 Month

### Industry

Government Agency

### Job Location

Washington, D.C., United States,  
20001, Washington, DC., DC.,

### Working Hours

8

### Base Salary

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### Date posted

April 3, 2026

### Valid through

06.12.2028

- Competitive stipend and potential for future career opportunities within USAID.

**How To Apply**

Interested candidates should submit a resume, a cover letter outlining their interest and qualifications for the USAID Internship for Graduate Students, and a copy of their latest academic transcript. Applications can be sent with the subject line "USAID Internship Application."

USAID is an equal opportunity employer and welcomes applications from individuals of all backgrounds. We appreciate all applicants' interest, but only those selected for an interview will be contacted.